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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:)	
PURVIS ET AL.)	
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Serial No. 09/703,277)	Examiner: William MILLER
Confirmation No. 1667)	
Filed: October 31, 2000)	Art Unit: 3677
)	
For: TEMPORARY GUARD RAIL SYSTEM)	Attorney Docket: 24104A
(Reissue of U.S. Patent No.)	
5,842,685))	
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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of January 21, 2005,
and in connection with the Supplemental Declaration under 37
CFR 1.175(b)(1) filed concurrently herewith, please consider
the remarks set out below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims, which begins on page 2 of this filing.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this filing.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[] Applicant qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR § 1.27.

[X] No additional fee is required.

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TOTAL CLAIMS	24	28	0		X 9	\$	<u>OR</u>	X 18	\$ XX
INDEPT CLAIMS	3	3	0		X 42	\$	<u>OR</u>	X 86	\$ XX
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ 140	\$	<u>OR</u>	+ 280	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE			TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0

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[X] Please associate this application with Customer No. 27975.



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